

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

Item 20: Department of State Police Equitable Sharing Program

To: Emergency Board Full Committee
From: General Government Subcommittee
Carrier: Representative Sanchez

The General Government Subcommittee recommends that the Emergency Board increase the Federal Funds expenditure limitation by \$650,000 and increase the Other Funds expenditure limitation by \$116,305, for the Department of State Police for the Equitable Sharing Program.

The U.S. Department of Justice's Equitable Sharing Program provides one-time funding to its partner agencies that can be used for certain eligible expenses. The Department intends to use the available funds to upgrade ballistic helmets and protective respirator masks for the Special Operations Units and to provide voluntary cardiac health assessment screenings for troopers. These voluntary and confidential cardiac screenings are intended to provide information and education to troopers on overall health and wellness and potentially any treatment or preventative measures that could improve overall health and wellness before any serious issues arise.

The Subcommittee recommends approval.